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(57) **Abstract:** Various 2'-beta-methyl-6-substituted adenosine analogs (including 2,6-disubstituted adenosine, 8-aza-6-substituted adenosine, and 2-aza-6-substituted adenosine) are prepared by conventional and combinatorial library approaches. Contemplated compounds are particularly useful as therapeutic agents, and especially as antiviral agents.

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